

ALPHA AND OMEGA

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THE BOWYER BIBLE

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in memory of my parents
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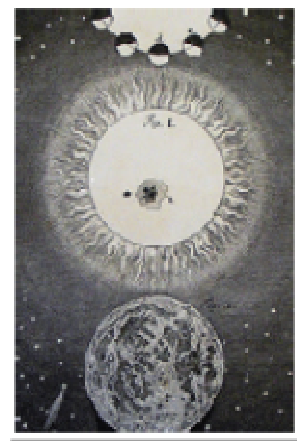
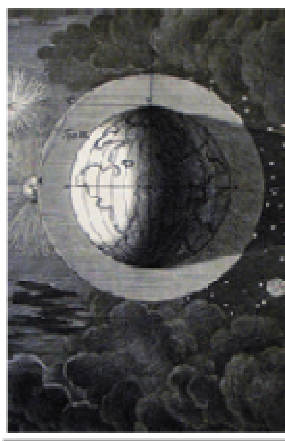
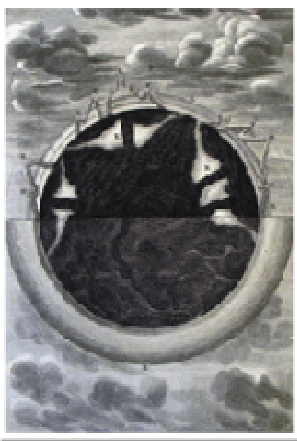
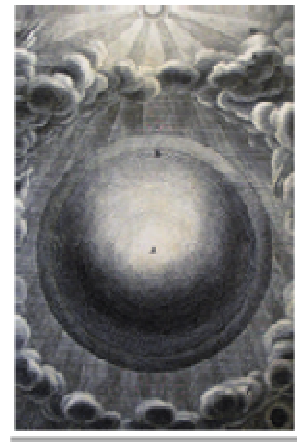
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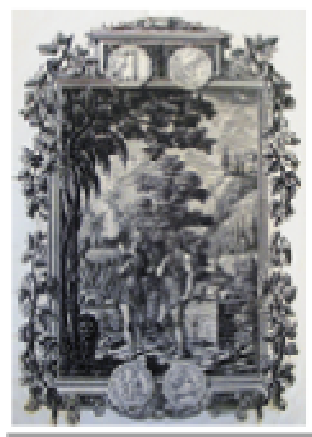
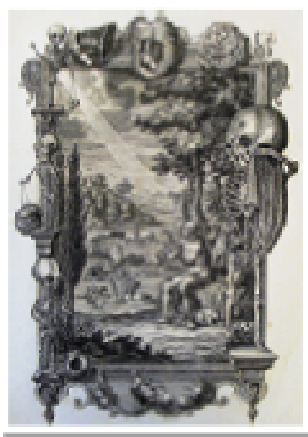
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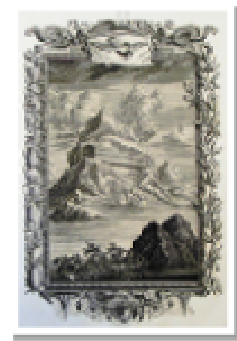
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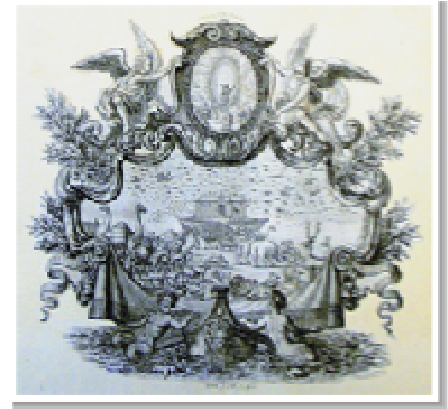
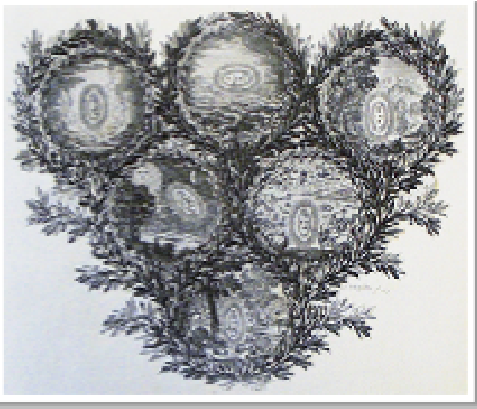
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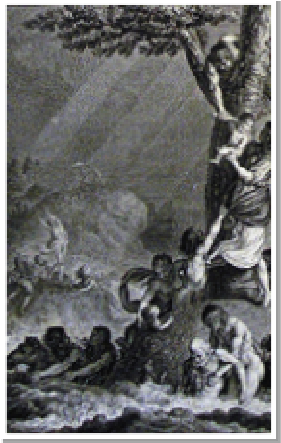
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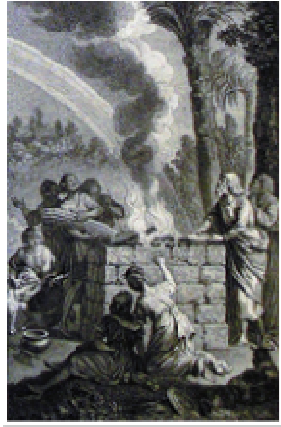
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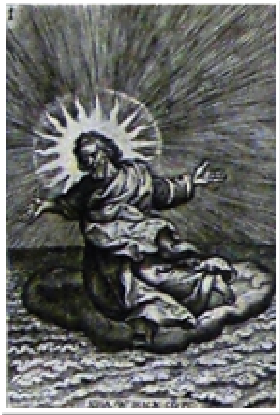
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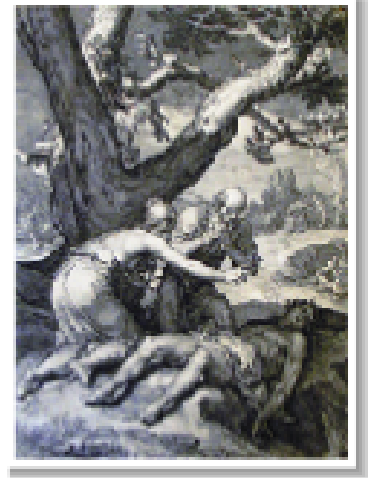
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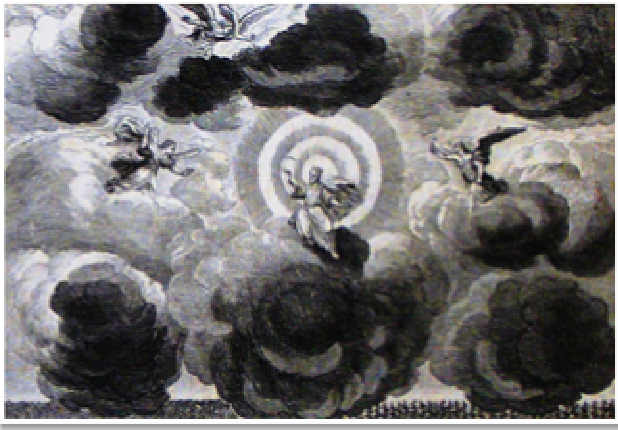
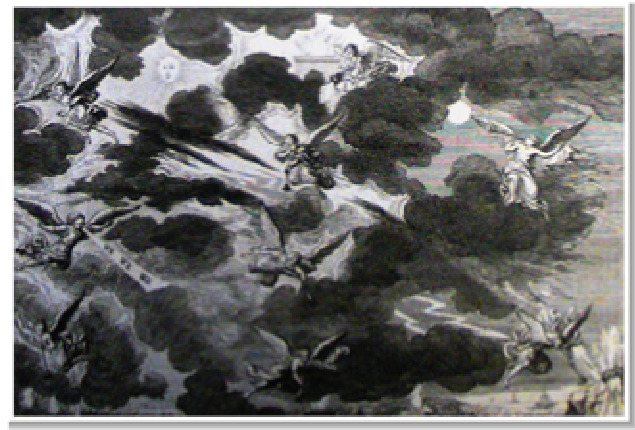
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